

POULTRY SHOW CLOSED TODAY.

Complete List of Awards on All
Regular Entries.

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED.

Some of the Legislators Visited the
Display—Other Outside Visitors who
Spoke Highly of the Exhibit.

Among the many visitors that attended the poultry exhibit today there were a number of legislators and ladies from outside of the city. They expressed admiration of the show deeming it much better than they had anticipated. After the public began to understand that the poultry show was something worth going to see not only once but often, the crowd of visitors grew rapidly, and closed this afternoon with a large crowd present. The judges have completed the awarding of prizes on all the regular entries. The annual meeting of the Utah Poultry association was held in the evening and the officers for the ensuing year were elected. At the meeting it was decided to hold the next meeting in January of next year, the date to be decided by the executive committee.

The newly elected officers are:
President, W. S. Price of Salt Lake; first vice president, W. Martin of Salt Lake; second vice president, William Oldfield of Taylorsville; third vice president, Thomas Jenkins of Gunnison, Mont.; fourth vice president, C. H. Hansen of Provo; secretary, George Fayson of Salt Lake; assistant secretary and hall superintendent, Harry Groves of Salt Lake. Executive committee—J. W. Bird, J. W. Haslam, J. M. Lees, C. J. Trump and S. O. Day.

THE PRIZE WINNERS.

All of the regular awards are as follows:
Barred Plymouth Rocks—C. J. Trump first on pen and cockerel, second on pullet; Ernest Bush, third on cockerel, fourth on pullet; J. W. Haslam, fourth on pullet (tie); C. H. Spence, fourth on cockerel (tie); Riverside Stock Farm, second on cockerel, second on cock; A. Henderson, second on cockerel; H. H. Bird, second on pen and hen; Best Bred, second on pen and hen.
White Plymouth Rocks—Samuel Moore first on hen, second on cock; Robert Hazen, third on cock and cockerel; George Taylor, fourth on cockerel; J. W. Haslam, fourth on pullet; J. W. Haslam, fourth on cockerel (tie); Riverside Stock Farm, second on cockerel, second on cock; A. Henderson, second on cockerel; H. H. Bird, second on pen and hen; Best Bred, second on pen and hen.
Wyandottes—Thomas N. Jenkins, first on cock and pullet, fourth on hen; J. W. Haslam, third on cockerel (tie); fourth on pen; William Thompson, first on cockerel, second on pen, third on cockerel (tie); Mrs. Grace Fayson, first on pen and hen, second on cockerel and pullet, third on pen and pullet; P. A. Lewis, third on cock, fourth on pullet; John Stringham, fourth on cockerel; A. S. Martin, second and third on pen.

Silver Laced Wyandottes—Mrs. T. T. Burton, second on pen and cockerel; first and third on pullet; H. F. Burton, first on pen and cockerel, second on cock, third on pen, second, third and fourth on hen, second and fourth on pullet.
Dark Brahmans—J. W. Bird, first and second on pen.
Buff Wyandottes—J. W. Haslam, first and second on pen.
Buff Plymouth Rocks—J. W. Haslam, second on cockerel; L. U. Colbath, second on pen, second and fourth on hen, first on cockerel, first and second on pullet.
Buff Leghorns—J. W. Bird & Son, third on cockerel, fourth on cockerel (tie), fourth on pullet (tie), fourth on pen; J. W. Haslam, first on cock and pen, first and second on cockerel, fourth on cockerel (tie), first and second on pullet, second on pullet and pen, fourth on pullet (tie), third on pullet and pen, first on pullet.
Black Minorcas—J. W. Haslam, third on cockerel and pullet, first on hen, second and fourth on pullet; A. Henderson, first on pullet and second on hen; F. J. Parsons, second on pen and cock, third and fourth on hen.
Single Comb Brown Leghorns—J. W. Haslam, second on pen and cockerel, first and second on hen; Riverside Stock Farm, first on pen, cock and cockerel, third and fourth on hen, first, second, third and fourth on pullet.
Single Comb White Leghorns—Riverside Stock Farm, first on pen and cock, first on cockerel (tie twice), second on cockerel (tie twice), first and third on hen, first, third and fourth on pullet, fourth on pen; J. W. Haslam, second on cock, second on cockerel (tie), second and fourth on hen, third on hen; J. W. Bird & Son, third and fourth on cock, second on pen, second on cockerel (tie), third on cockerel, second on pullet (tie twice), fourth on pullet.
Golden Polish—T. J. and J. W. Keogh, Ogden, first on pen, hen and pullet, second on hen and pullet, third on pullet; Harry Hunt, first on hen (tie), third on pen and cock, third on pullet (tie).
Black Comb Brown Leghorns—J. W. Haslam, first on pullet.
Black Langshans—J. N. Lees, all premiums.
Golden Seabird Bantams—W. C. Woodruff, all premiums.
Cochin Bantams—George Loeff, all prizes.
Duck Wings Bantams—Shoels & Walker, all premiums.
Light Brahmans—Brooks Ranch, all premiums.
Buff Cochins—Partridge—Brooks Ranch, all premiums.
Best Pekin Duck—Brooks Ranch.
Rouen Duck—William Oldfield of Taylorsville, all premiums.
Turkeys—William Oldfield, Taylorsville, all premiums.
Best Collection of Pigeons—Brooks Ranch.
Best Incubator in Operation—C. J. Trump.

DALE WINS FIRST ROUND.

Judge Hall Dismisses the Carbis Contest—Appeal to Supreme Court.

As announced some days ago Judge Hall this morning decided the Carbis-Dale election contest for the county treasuryship. It will be remembered that the contest simmered down to the question as to whether or not the contest was begun within the statutory forty days from "return day." The court decided that "return day" was November 12, the day on which the county commissioners commenced the canvass of the returns, and not the day on which the canvass was completed, and the result declared, (Nov. 12). The court in deciding this point, in the manner stated, of course threw the contest out as not having been begun within the forty days provided by law within which election contests must be commenced, and therefore Judge Hall held he had no jurisdiction, dismissing the case. This settles the matter so far as the district court is concerned and the office of Mr. Carbis (Dem.) right to the office. Mr. Carbis and his attorneys, however, say they will take the contest up to the Supreme court with the hope of getting a reversal of Judge Hall's decision.

NEW SMALLPOX CASES.

The following smallpox cases were reported to the health board today:
Ann Cowan, age 17, at 865 West Sixth South street; John S. Taylor, 43, 150 East Third South street; Ed Williams, 19, 617 South Fifth West street; and Edward Gregory, 26, at 24 East Fifth South street. None of these were ever vaccinated.

BRILLIANT CROWD.

An Exceptionally Fine Recital in the Tabernacle.

The audience at the Tabernacle organ recital this morning was large and brilliant. A material portion of the crowd were visitors and the beautiful strains of the organ and the sweet singing evoked from them very hearty applause. The exceptionally fine program was begun with the "War March of the 'Intermezzo' from Mascagni's masterpiece. Miss Ina Brooks, of the James-Kidd company, delighted the audience with her field for its powers. Prof. McClellan then rendered "The Lost Chord," by Sullivan, and the "Shepherd's Chorus," by Wiley. The James-Kidd company, sang "Ave Maria," from the "Traviata," by Verdi, and all of the

COSTS BUT LITTLE.

A Discovery for the Cure of Piles Which May be Tried at Small Expense.

A pile cure which is painless and harmless, but which affords immediate relief and in most cases a complete cure in a very short time, is sold by druggists under the name of Pyramid Pile Cure.

It is in suppository form, to be applied at night, and its regular use has cured thousands of obstinate, long standing cases and it seems to be equally effective in all the various forms of piles, whether itching, bleeding or protruding.

The Pyramid Pile Cure allays the inflammation and intolerable itching, reduces the little tumors, and its astringent properties cause the enlarged blood vessels to contract to a normal, healthy condition.

A Baltimore gentleman relates his experience in these words:
"It affords me unusual pleasure to add my endorsement to those of others relative to the really remarkable cures made by the Pyramid."

"I was a sufferer for years until told by a fellow salesman of the Pyramid Pile Cure."

"It has entirely cured me and I cheerfully send this for publication if you wish to use it in that direction. I wish you would send me one of your little books on cause and cure of piles; I desire to show it to some friends."

Any sufferer from piles may use the Pyramid with certainty that it will give instant relief and its regular use a permanent cure and the further assurance that it contains no cocaine, morphine or other metallic or mineral poison.

All druggists sell the Pyramid Pile Cure of 50 cents per package.
A little book on cause and cure of piles will be mailed free by addressing the Pyramid Drug Co., of Marshall, Mich.

\$3.00 to \$2.50. The section of the bill making these advances go into effect immediately on the approval of the bill was stricken out.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hall announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Rev. W. Sherman Hunt, pastor of the First Congregational church of Telluride, Colorado. The marriage will take place early in March.

The organ recitals under the direction of Prof. McClellan this week were largely attended by the visiting stockmen and their ladies, as well as the constantly growing contingent of local music lovers.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Moyle left today for a trip to San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Derrah and son are at the Fifth Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Wells, of Chicago, are in the city.

Lieut. Baldwin leaves today for the Presidio.

The function given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Hill last night in honor of Madame Quire, of Paris, France, the idea being carried out with card-tables as stations which were reached with stages of a progressive 63 game. The hall was gotten up to represent a railroad waiting room and here the guests took tickets for a journey from Paris to Dieppe. When the final station was reached supper was served, and the rest of the evening was devoted to conversation.

Mr. Ashley, of Denver, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Park during the week.

Mrs. Elbridge Thomas entertained the Sewing club yesterday.

On Wednesday evening a wedding reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Alma Bulough at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Suter, of 376 Center street. There were about fifty guests present, chiefly members of the two families, with a few of the intimate friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was performed in the Salt Lake Temple, the event being a brilliant one in all details. The bride was becomingly gowned in white and carried a bouquet of carnations. The happy couple were the recipients of a large number of handsome presents.

CHURCH NEWS.

Regular services of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock in the Tabernacle. Sunday schools in the various wards at 10 a. m. and meetings in the city ward assembly rooms and adjacent wards as follows:

First 9:30
Second 9:30
Third 9:30
Fourth 9:30
Fifth 9:30
Sixth 9:30
Seventh 9:30
Eighth 9:30
Ninth 9:30
Tenth 9:30
Eleventh 9:30
Twelfth 9:30
Thirteenth 9:30
Fourteenth 9:30
Fifteenth 9:30
Sixteenth 9:30
Seventeenth 9:30
Eighteenth 9:30
Nineteenth 9:30
Twentieth 9:30
Twenty-first 9:30
Twenty-second 9:30
Twenty-third 9:30
Twenty-fourth 9:30
Twenty-fifth 9:30
Twenty-sixth 9:30
Twenty-seventh 9:30
Twenty-eighth 9:30
Twenty-ninth 9:30
Thirtieth 9:30

Religious services in the German language are held every Sunday morning, at 12 o'clock in Choir Hall, Richards street.

Scandinavian religious meetings are held every Sunday at 10 o'clock in Choir Hall, Richards street. Also every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms.

Elder Willard Done will lecture before the Third quorum of Elders in the Second ward meeting house, Monday evening, January 21, 1901, at 7:30 sharp. A full attendance is desired. His subject will be "The Kingdom of God on Earth." If importance will come before the meeting.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

The officers and teachers of the Salt Lake Sunday school will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening next at 7:30 o'clock in the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms. The presidency of the State will be in attendance. Superintendents who have not received their annual reports will please hand them in at the meeting.

CHURCH HISTORY.

Agreeable to appointment made at a recent Priesthood meeting of the Salt Lake Stake Elder Andrew Jensen of the Historian's office will visit the following wards in the order named. All parties invited are kindly requested to meet punctually at the hour announced: Thirtieth ward, Monday, January 21st, 10 a. m.; Fourteenth ward, Tuesday, January 22nd, 10 a. m.; Fifteenth ward, Wednesday, January 23rd, 10 a. m.; Sixteenth ward, Thursday, January 24th, 10 a. m.; Seventeenth ward, Friday, January 25th, 10 a. m.; Twentieth ward, Saturday, January 26th, 10 a. m.

OTHER CHURCHES.

First M. E. church, corner Ninth East and First South, Jos. A. Smith, pastor. "Sorrow Transmuted into Comfort" will be the subject on which the pastor will speak at 1 o'clock tomorrow. Rev. H. Corder, the noted evangelist, will speak at 7:30 p. m. Solos by Miss Mabel Clarke, Miss Flo Newcomb, Mr. C. H. Gilbert and Mr. Corder. All strangers in the city specially invited to our services.

St. Paul's church, Main and Fourth South street, Rev. Ellis Bishop, pastor. January 20th, second Sunday after Epiphany; 8:00 a. m., holy communion; 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11:00 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; 6:30 p. m., Bible class by Prof. Marshall; 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

St. Paul's Associate mission, Rev. Ellis Bishop, pastor; Rev. R. S. Stringfellow, associate; January 20th, second Sunday after Epiphany.

power of her beautiful and well trained voice.

The organ was again heard in "Fandango," by Lemmens, and "Angels Chorus," by Clark, when Prof. Goddard sang "Hosannah" with all of his usual power.

The organ was again heard in the "Last Rose of Summer," and the recital closed with the inexpressibly sweet "Andantino," by Lemare.

LITTLE ESTATE.

Glen Miller, guardian of the persons and estates of Fannie Maria, Clara, Romania, Feramoriz T. and Decker Little, children and heirs of the late James T. Little, today filed an inventory of the estates of these minors, in the district court, showing the following amounts of property to the credit of each child:

Fannie Maria Little \$10,135.95
Romania Little 10,235.95
Feramoriz T. Little 10,385.25
Clara Little 10,355.96
Decker Little 11,562.09

Total \$52,664.21

The property consists of commercial stocks, bonds, cash and other personal property and various pieces of real estate. The fees charged by the county clerk according to law netted the office \$79.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Building permits issued during week:

Mrs. Martha Halm, Eleventh East between Fifth and Sixth south, brick cottage \$2,250
Anderson Real Estate and Investment company, First South and Tenth East, four brick residences 13,500
Anderson Real Estate and Investment company, First South, two brick residences 8,000
Samuel Austin Park Avenue, brick cottage 900
William White, 425 South Ninth West, frame barn 100
E. Warren, 76 K street, frame addition 150
Charles Newson, Fourth East, between Seventh and Eighth South, frame addition 50
C. H. Linek, 118 East Third South, repairs 50
William K. Brown, Military Avenue, brick residence 2,500

Total \$27,500

WARD ENTERTAINMENTS.

A farewell reception will be tendered to Elder John Perkins, in the Sixteenth ward meeting house, Monday evening, January 21. Elder Perkins leaves in a few days for the missionary field, and the following excellent program has been prepared:

Opening hymn Ward Choir
Instrumental selection (piano) Male quartette, Tracy Y. Cannon
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Members of the Harmony Club
Soprano solo Mrs. H. Gulbransen
Humorous recitation Miss Vida Fox
Soprano solo Miss Hilma Peterson
Tenor solo John D. Womersley
Solo (piano) Miss Lizzy Thomas
Song (humorous) Wm. Williams
Duet Dora and Lillian Emery
Solo Little Millie Williams
Baritone solo W. G. Bywater
Tenor solo Will Brown
Graphophone solo David Smith
Song (humorous) The Deeds
(Petrie) Ole Nelson
Comic song Lorenzo Hadcock
Male quartette, "Good Night"
Will Phillips, Alma Vincent, Joseph Winter, Ed Cottam.

MASS MEETING CALLED.

For Wednesday Next, in the Fourteenth Ward Hall to Consider Vaccination.

A call is hereby made by the Utah Anti-compulsory Vaccination League for a citizens' mass meeting, to protest against the enforcement of the health board's order excluding healthy children from the public schools of Salt Lake City and to consider ways and means to have rescinded the autocratic rulings of the health board, to memorialize the Legislature against any compulsory vaccination legislation that may be contemplated, and to formulate a petition for revision of the law of the State defining and restricting the powers of health boards, so that it will be impossible to hereafter make vaccination a qualification to either teach or attend school.

Meeting will be held in the Fourteenth ward assembly rooms, Wednesday evening next, 7:30 o'clock.
J. H. PARRY, Secretary.

BUSINESS NOTES.

The week has been a fairly active one in local commercial stocks. Quite a number of transfers have taken place, mainly of Utah Sugar which has been dealt in at \$18.50. Ogden Sugar remains in active demand. Reports from the mountains in Utah county especially, state that the fall of snow is much heavier at the present time than at any period during last winter. Signing of contracts for beet acreage is going rapidly forward, and these facts have had a stiffening effect on the stock.

Advices from Logan state that stock in the new factory to the amount of \$75,000 to \$100,000 will be offered to Ogden people, and that the remainder is to be taken by Ogden and its associates in Ogden.

Collections in Salt Lake are reported fair, money is as plentiful as ever and in fair demand. The following are the latest quotations of local stocks:

STOCKS.

Deseret National bank \$245.00
Z. C. M. L. 140.00
Home Fire Insurance Co. 15.50
Utah Sugar Co. 17.50
Ogden Sugar Co. 13.00
State Bank of Utah 130.00
Co-op Wagon & Machine Co. 106.00
Cunningham & Co. 110.00
Commercial National Bank 100.00
Commerce National bank 109.00
Utah Com. & Savings Bank 104.00
Zion's Sav. Bank & Trust Co. 124.00
Provo Com. & Savings bank 109.00
Lehi Com. & Savings bank 109.00
Thatcher Bros B'k Co., Logan 108.00
First National Bank, Ogden 175.00
Rocky Mt. Bell Tel. Co. (issued) 101.00
Davis Co. bank, Farmington 100.00
Barnes Banking Co., Kaysville 175.00

BONDS.
Church bonds 100
S. L. City R. R. bonds 102

LIBERTY FOR NONE.

State Board of Pardons Denies Many Applications Today.

The state board of pardons held a session this morning and considered applications for pardons from the following prisoners now confined in the State prison:

John A. Blythe, assault with intent to commit rape.
John C. Morion, alias Charles Vivian, burglary.
William S. Edson, intent to commit murder. (Application for parole.)
James J. McKee, grand larceny.
Golden C. Brown, burglary, house-breaking and escaping from Utah State prison. (Application for parole.)
John C. Willie, petit larceny.
Eugene Green, grand larceny.

Letters from various officials who assisted in the conviction of the prisoners, and statements from Warden Dow, of the State prison, in all of the cases, were filed, saying that the parties seeking executive clemency at the hands of the board had good conduct to their credit. Friends of some of the applicants were present and advocated their cases. The board adjourned into executive session, considered the different applications and announced their decision, denying all of the applications.

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Board of Health Proclaims an Epidemic of Grip.

GRIP

Grip is here, but of a mild type. It still commences with Catarrhal symptoms, aching of the limbs, marked lassitude and a rise of temperature, resembling the commencing of Typhoid or Malaria.

The convalescents are apt to be troubled for a considerable period with weakness, a general want of physical tone—a condition to invite Pneumonia.

Paradoxical as it may appear, the light attacks of Grip are oftentimes more dangerous than the severe ones, as in the former instances the patients are more apt to be careless of themselves during the weak physical conditions that follow.

The use of Dr. Humphrey's Famous Specific "77" breaks up the Grip, while its tonicity sustains the flagging energies during and after the attack.

At all Drug Stores, 25c., or mailed. Pocket Manual mailed free.
Humphrey's Homeopathic Medicine Co., Cor. William and John Sts., New York.

Fifth West streets; 3:00 p. m., Sunday school; 4:00 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.
St. John's chapel, Perkins' Addition; 3:00 p. m., Sunday school; 4:00 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.

Mill Creek mission, Scott's school house; 4:00 p. m., evening prayer and sermon.
Sunday, Jan. 20, 1901, Westminster Presbyterian church, 139 South Fourth West, between First and Second South street. Rev. Geo. Bailey, LL. B. pastor. Morning services, 11:00 a. m., evening services, 7:30 p. m.

The services today will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. McNeice, Dean of Sheldon-Jackson College.

The offering this morning will be in aid of "The Board of Colleges" and the subject of address, "Christian Education." Sunday school, 12:15 noon.
Northwest Sunday school, 440 West North Temple street, 1:15 p. m. Junior E., 4:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30, subject for study will be "Not by Might, nor by Power, but by my Spirit, Saith the Lord of Hosts." Reference, Zechariah, Chap. IV, vs. 6-10.

THE SALT LAKE HARDWARE CO.,

Sign of the Big Gun. 42, 44, 46 W. Second South.

PIANOLAS

Have Arrived.

We are now prepared to fill orders for Pianolas in Mahogany, Oak, Walnut or Ebony.

Call and hear them play. The only Piano Player that is endorsed by the great musicians.

Daynes Music Co.,

State Agents, 74 Main Street.

CITIZENSHIP OF CHINESE.

Att'y-Gen. Griggs Renders an Important Opinion on the Subject.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Att'y. Gen. Griggs, in an opinion rendered upon the request of the secretary of the treasury holds, first, that a person born in the Hawaiian islands in 1885 of Chinese parents, who are laborers, and taken to China with his mother in 1890, is entitled to re-enter the territory of Hawaii, where his father still resides; second, that the wife and children of a Chinese person, who was naturalized in 1887 in Hawaii, and still resides there, are entitled to enter that territory "by virtue of the citizenship" of the husband and father. This opinion is based upon the assumption that the Chinese persons in question, born and naturalized respectively in the Hawaiian islands, were in fact, citizens of Hawaii under its laws and regulations on August 12, 1898, and had not abandoned or lost their rights as such.

A concurrent resolution offered a few days ago by Mr. Lindsay (Kentucky), providing for the celebration on the fourth of February next of the one hundredth anniversary of the assumption of the chief justiceship of the United States by John Marshall, was called up.

Mr. Lindsay made a brief statement in support of the resolution.

Mr. Hale, who had objected to the resolution, said he felt it unlikely that Congress, under the great pressure of public business, would have a day even for so good and laudable a purpose as that contemplated by the resolution. However, he would yield his objection.

The resolution was adopted without further debate.

Mr. Allison then, at the conclusion of routine business, presented resolutions expressive of the regret of the Senate at the death of Senator Gear, and providing that the business of the Senate be suspended in order that the members might pay fitting tribute to his memory.

Sensor Gear was much beloved by his colleagues in the Senate, and the tributes paid to his character and distinguished services were heartfelt and eloquent. Those who paid tribute to his memory were Senators Allison of Iowa, Platt of Connecticut, Cockrell of Missouri, Nelson of Minnesota, Spooner of Wisconsin, Morgan of Alabama, Mason of Illinois, Clay of Georgia, and Dooliver of Iowa.

TRACTION CAR RUNS WILD.

New Castle, Pa., Jan. 19.—The failure of the brakes to work caused a traction car to run wild on the Pittsburgh street today. It left the track and dashed into the city hall, tearing out an entire corner.

John Hoke, motorman; Stephen, Allen, Lewis McCurdy, and a man named Mitchell were seriously injured.

NEW YORK'S VICILANTES.

To Consist of Five Hundred Men of Tried and Proved Trustworthiness and Conservatism.

Dr. Potter Advocates It—Tells How Much Can be Done to Suppress Crime and Corruption.

New York, Jan. 19.—The World says: The vigilance committee favored by Bishop Potter is being formed by individual members of the City club.

There will not be 25,000 of them, nor 5,000, and only men of tried and proved trustworthiness and conservatism will be in the ranks. The total number may not exceed 500.

The City club as an organization is not yet the official sponsor for the committee of vigilantes, but after the organization has been perfected a proposition may be submitted to the members of the club to father body.

Bishop Potter said, in speaking of the vigilance committee last night:

"I think that a body of earnest, honest men who would promptly report to a central committee every violation of the laws for the restraint of vice which came under their notice, so that the people of the city might know the extent of official laxity, would render a service of the very greatest value."

Referring to an objection made by some of the members of the committee of fifteen to the employment of young men in the work, the bishop said:

"That has struck me as rather funny. Soberly, I don't see how the young men of the city are likely to fall into any greater danger than now men seem all over the city of course. I do not advocate any promiscuous diving into the secrets of disorderly houses, or any participation in gambling. But there are few men in the city who have not at one time or another been tempted to vice, or seen it flaunted in the streets. How is it going to hurt them to make a record of that fact and report it to the central committee for investigation? I confess I don't see."

"I have on my desk a letter received this morning from Harlem telling me of the existence of a disorderly house in a certain street and of the 'roping-in' of men by two policemen in plain clothes who had a little party out of the police force. On the East Side this is particularly marked. Many small tradesmen do business there solely by grace of bribing the police."

The bishop told of other forms of police cupidity. He cited the case of a policeman who found the lost son of one of his friends recently. The policeman simply did his duty in taking the small boy to the station house, where he found a little party out of the police force. But the policeman appeared at the boy's house on three successive days and demanded payment for finding the little fellow.

"I am afraid that that indifference is at the bottom of a good deal of the trouble. What we need most of all is a constant concentration of public attention upon the present conditions. That is what I believe to be essential to reform. I saw no better way of accomplishing it than through such a vigilance committee as I advocated in St. Paul's church."

A DEFENSE OF NEW YORK.

New York, Jan. 19.—Comptroller Col. of New York spoke last night before the Outlook club of Mont Clair, N. J. His subject was "The City of New York." His address was a defense of what he called the greatest city in the world.

"The great city," he said, "stands in the glare of conflicting and confusing lights. No matter what the cause, the dark spots in the city are being held up to view and the bright spots are being lost sight of. The city of New York is at present in the throes of one of those peculiar convulsions which break out in all great cities.